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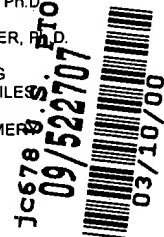
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Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

As authorized by the inventor(s), transmitted herewith for filing
is a continuation-in-part application of Application No.
09/396,942 filed on March 19, 1999. The
present application is filed on behalf of the inventor(s)
according to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.41(c).

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For: III-V COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR

Enclosed are:

- X A specification consisting of 23 pages
- X 02 sheet(s) of Formal drawings
- X Executed Declaration in accordance with 37 CFR 1.64 will follow
- Certified copy of Priority Document(s)
- X Information Sheet
- Preliminary Amendment

Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 with reference(s)

X Priority of application No(s):
11-066743, 11-236979, 2000-033293
 filed in Japan on
March 12, 1999, August 24, 1999, February 10, 2000
 is(are) claimed under 35 USC 119. See attached copy of the Letter
 claiming priority filed in the prior application on

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37
 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27

X Amend the specification by inserting before the first sentence:
 --This application is a continuation-in-part of application
No. 09/396,942 filed on September 15, 1999, the
 entire contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference.--

An extension of time for _____ month(s) until
 _____, has been submitted in parent application
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 with the present application.

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X The application transmitted herewith is filed in accordance with 37 CFR 1.41(c). The undersigned has been authorized by the inventor(s) to file the present application. The original duly executed patent application together with the surcharge will be forwarded in due course.

X A check in the amount of \$ 950.00 to cover the filing fee and recording fee (if applicable) is enclosed.

 Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$. A triplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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